RECOMMENDED TREE SPECIES BY SIZE CLASS

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Соммон	GENUS SPECIES	SIZE CLASS	HARDINESS ZONE	MICHIGAN NATIVE
Maple, Trident	Acer buergeranum	small <30'	6-8	No
Maple, Amur	Acer ginnala	small <30'	3-7	No
Maple, Paperbark	Acer griseum	small <30'	5-7	No
Maple, Japanese	Acer palmatum	small <30'	4-6	No
Maple, Striped	Acer pensylvanicum	small <30'	3-7	Yes
Maple, Tartarian	Acer tartaricum	small <30'	3-6	No
Serviceberry, Hybrids	Amelanchier hybrids	small <30'	4-8	No
Serviceberry, Downy	Amelancier arborea	small <30'	3-8	Yes
Hornbeam, American	Carpinus caroliniana	small <30'	4.8	Yes
Redbud, Eastern	Cercis canadensis	small <30'	4.9	Yes
Dogwood, Flowering	Cornus florida	small <30'	5-6	Yes
Dogwood, Kousa	Cornus kousa	small <30'	5-8	No
Dogwood, Corneliancherry	Cornus mas	small <30'	4-6	No
Dogwood, Grey	Cornus racemosa	small <30'	4-8	Yes
Smoketree	Cotinus coggygria	small <30'	4-6	No
Hawthorn	Crataegus spp	small <30'	5-8	Yes
Magnolia	Magnolia hybrid 'Galaxy'	small <30'	5/9	No
Magnolia, Saucer	Magnolia soulangeana	small <30'	4-6	No
Magnolia, Star	Magnolia stellata	small <30'	4-8	No
Crabapple, Flowering	Malus spp.	small <30'	2-8	No
Cherry, Japanese Flowering	Prunus serrulata	small <30'	5-8	No
Lilac, Japanese Tree	Syringa reticulata hybrids	small <30'	3-7	No
Nannyberrry Viburnum	Viburnum lentago	small <30'	2-8	Yes
Maple, Hedge	Acer campestre	medium 30-40'	5-7	No
Maple, Shantung	Acer tuncatum x Acer plantanoides	medium 30-40'	4-8	No
Ohio Buckeye	Aesculus glabra	medium 30-40'	4-6	Yes
Birch, River	Betula nigra "Heritage"	medium 30-40'	4-9	Yes
Hornbeam, European	Carpinus betulus	medium 30-40'	3-9	No
Panicled Goldenraintree	Koelreuteria paniculata	medium 30-40'	4-9	No
Ironwood	Ostrya virginiana	medium 30-40'	3-9	Yes
Amur Corktree	Phellodendron amurese	medium 30-40'	4-8	No
Spruce, Black	Picea mariana	medium 30-40'	2-5	Yes
Cherry, Sargent	Prunus sargentii 'columnaris'	medium 30-40'	4-8	No
Fir, Balsam	Abies balsamea	large >40'	3-5	Yes
Maple, Norway*	Acer platanoides	large >40'	4-8	No
Maple, Norway Cultivars*	Acer platanoides cultivars	large >40'	4-8	No
Maple, Red	Acer rubrum	large >40'	3.9	Yes
Maple, Sugar	Acer saccharum	large >40'	3-7	Yes
Horsechestnut	Aesculus hippocastanum	large >40'	4-8	No
Birch, Asian White	Betula platyphylla var. japonica	large >40'	3-8	No
Catalpa, Northern	Catalpa speciosa	large >40'	5-9	No

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Hackberry	Celtis occidentalis	large >40'	4-9	Yes
Katsura tree	Cercidiphyllum japonicum	large >40'	4-8	No
Yellowwood, American	Cladrastis kentukea (lutea)	large >40'	4-8	No
Turkish Filbert	Corylus colurna	large >40'	5-8	No
Ginkgo* (male varieties only)	Ginkgo biloba	large >40'	4-8	No
Honeylocust and cultivars	Gleditsia triacanthos	large >40'	4-8	No
Kentucky Coffeetree	Gymnocladus diocus	large >40'	4-9	No
Cedar, Eastern Red	Juniperus virginiana	large >40'	2-9	Yes
Sweetgum, American	Liquidambar styraciflua	large >40'	5-9	No
Tuliptree	Liriodendron tulipifera	large >40'	4-9	Yes
Magnolia, Cucumbertree	Magnolia acuminata	large >40'	4-8	No
Dawn Redwood	Metasequoia glyptostroboides	large >40'	4-8	No
Blackgum	Nyssa sylvatica	large >40'	5-9	Yes
Spruce, White	Picea glauca	large >40'	2-6	Yes
Pine, Red	Pinus resinosa	large >40'	2-5	Yes
Pine, White	Pinus strobus	large >40'	3-8	Yes
Callery Pear	Pyrus calleryana	large >40'	5-8	No
Oak, Swamp White	Quercus bicolor	large >40'	4-7	Yes
Oak, Burr	Quercus macrocarpa	large >40'	3-8	Yes
Oak, Pin	Quercus palustris	large >40'	5-8	Yes
Oak, English	Quercus robur	large >40'	5-8	No
Oak, Red	Quercus rubra	large >40'	5-8	Yes
Oak, Shumard	Quercus shumardii	large >40'	5-9	No
Scholar-tree	Sophora jacponica	large >40'	4-8	No
Baldcypress	Taxodium distichum	large >40'	5 -9	No
Arborvitae	Thuja occidentalis	large >40'	2-8	Yes
Basswood	Tilia americana	large >40'	4-7	Yes
Linden, Littleleaf	Tilia cordata	large >40'	3-7	No
Linden, Silver	Tilia tomentosa	large >40'	4-7	No
Hemlock, Canadian	Tsuga canadensis	large >40'	3-7	No
Elm, Lacebark	Ulmus parviflora	large >40'	5-9	Yes
Zelkova, Japanese	Zelkova serrata	large >40'	5-8	No

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